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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to examination on the merits please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

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On page 1 of the Specification, after the Title of the Invention ending on line 2 and before the Field of the Invention statement starting on line 3, please insert ✓ This is the U.S. national phase under 35 U.S.C. § 371 of International application PCT/AU97/00874, filed December 22, 1997, which claims priority to Australian application PO 4275, filed December 20, 1996.

✓ On page 4, at line 22, after the phrase "C-3X-C" and before the word "wherein", please insert --(SEQ ID NOs:31-33)--.

On page 4, at line 24, after the phrase "2X-C-3X-C-(10-12)X-C-3X-C-3X-Z" and before the word "wherein", please insert --(SEQ ID NOs:34-36)--.

✓ On page 4, at line 26, after the phrase "C-3X-C-(10-12)X-C-3X-C", please insert --(SEQ ID NOs:37-39)--.